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In re Application of :
Ifay F. Chang : ON PETITION
Application No. 09/634,139 :
Filed: August 8, 2000 :
Attorney Docket No. 20676-000100US :

This is a decision on the petition filed May 5, 2006 under 37 CFR 1.137(b)¹ to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-referenced application was held abandoned on August 12, 2004, for failure to file a timely response to the non-Final Office Action mailed May 11, 2004, which set a three (3)-month statutory period for reply. Accordingly, a Notice of Abandonment was mailed March 29, 2005.

This matter is being referred to Technology Center 2142 for appropriate action on response filed April 18, 2005.

Telephone inquiries concerning this matter may be directed to the undersigned Petitions Attorney at (571) 272-3212.

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¹ A grantable petition pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b) must be accompanied by:

(1) the required reply, unless previously filed. In a nonprovisional application abandoned for failure to prosecute, the required reply may be met by the filing of a continuing application. In an application or patent, abandoned or lapsed for failure to pay the issue fee or any portion thereof, the required reply must be the payment of the issue fee or any outstanding balance thereof;

(2) the petition fee as set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(m) (\$675.00);

(3) a statement that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. The Commissioner may require additional information where there is a question whether the delay was unintentional; and

(4) any terminal disclaimer (and fee as set forth in 37 CFR 1.20(d)) required pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(c)).